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LOOK ~~PAGE~~ AT CLAIM ONE (C), (D) AND (E). WHAT IS BEING CLAIMED IS A METHOD WHERE BY RISK IS DISAPATED BY GIVING EARLY ADOPTERS AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE REWARDED FOR PURCHASING THE PRODUCT EARLY. THIS INCLUDES PROVIDING MILESTONE PRICING THROUGH THE MANUFACTURING AND DISTRIBUTION PHASE.

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1. (Amended Once) A method of selling articles of manufacture, comprising:

(a) providing an electronic communication system which is available to a plurality of potential purchasers of said articles of manufacture;

(b) utilizing said electronic communication system to identify a plurality of articles of manufacture, from a plurality of manufacturing entities, which are available for purchase by said plurality of potential purchasers;

(c) for selected ones of said plurality of articles of manufacture which are available for purchase, identifying a plurality of pricing milestones in at least one of (1) a manufacturing phase and (2) a distribution phase, which correspond to an increase in commercial risk;

(d) through prior arrangements with said plurality of manufacturing entities, determining a separate price for each of said plurality of pricing milestones to establish a range of prices for said selected ones of said plurality of articles of manufacture, taking into account a change in said commercial risk as said pricing milestones are experienced, and providing a changing price to encourage and reward timely commercial commitments and to reduce the commercial risk to said plurality of manufacturing entities;

(e) utilizing said electronic communication system to make conditional offers of said selected ones of said plurality of articles of manufacture for sale to said plurality of potential purchasers at each of said plurality of pricing milestones with said separate price, with said conditional offers specifying at least a minimum number of articles which must be ordered in aggregate before the conditional offer becomes binding upon a manufacturing entity;

(f) utilizing said electronic communication system to separately communicate with particular ones of said plurality of potential purchasers and to aggregate commercial commitments from said plurality of potential purchasers for each of said pricing milestones and thereby selling said selected ones of said plurality of articles of manufacture; and

(g) wherein each pricing milestone corresponds to a period of availability in which costs of future supply chain activities or savings related to avoidance of future supply chain activities are reflected in an offer price.

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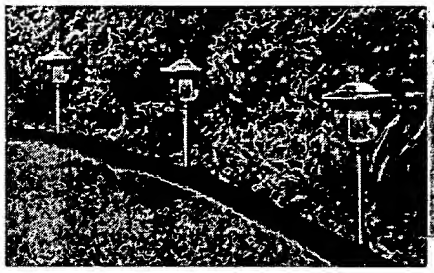

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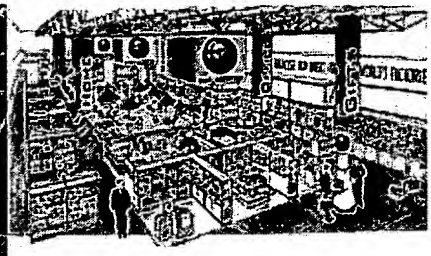

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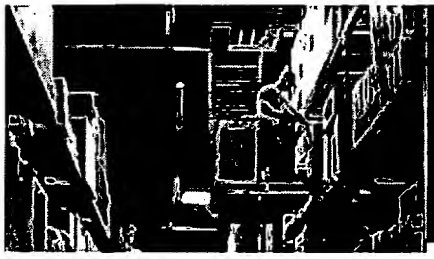

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Treatment of diabetic patient comprises use of unmodified insulin with a pharmaceutically acceptable delivery agent to treat diabetes and to reduce the adverse side effects of hyperinsulinemia/hyperglycemia

Patent Assignee: EMISPHERE TECHNOLOGIES INC (EMIS-N)
Inventor: ARBIT E; GOLDBERG M; MAJURU S
Number of Countries: 108 Number of Patents: 001
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Abstract (Basic): WO 200480401 A2

NOVELTY - Treatment of a diabetic patient comprises oral administration (to an early stage type II diabetic patient at 30 minutes prior to ingestion of a meal to concurrently with ingestion of a meal) of unmodified insulin (I) with 20-600 mg of a pharmaceutically acceptable delivery agent (II) that facilitates absorption of (I) from the gastrointestinal tract.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Treatment of a diabetic patient comprises oral administration (to an early stage type II diabetic patient at 30 minutes prior to ingestion of a meal to concurrently with ingestion of a meal) of unmodified insulin (I) with 20-600 mg of a pharmaceutically acceptable delivery agent (II) that facilitates absorption of (I) from the gastrointestinal tract. The dose is contained in tablets to provide a time to maximum plasma concentration of insulin at a time point of 15-20 minutes after oral administration of the dose, the dose being sufficient to compensate for the lack of a first phase insulin response, which occurs endogenously in a non-diabetic subject in response to an ingested meal.

INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for:

(1) a method of treating a patient with late stage type II diabetes or a patient with type I diabetes comprising oral administration (at the time of, or shortly prior to, ingestion of a meal) of (I) (an unit dose of 10-600 Units (0.4-23 mg)) with (II) (20-600 mg) that facilitates absorption of (I) from the gastrointestinal tract to provide a time point of 15-20 minutes after oral administration of the dose, the dose being sufficient to compensate for the lack of a first phase insulin response, which occurs endogenously in a non-diabetic subject in response to an ingested meal and administration to the patient of a separate dose of insulin to replace a second phase insulin

response to a meal that occurs in a non-diabetic subject substantially from endogenous insulin release;

(2) a method of treating a patient with late stage type II diabetes or a patient with type I diabetes comprising oral administration (at a time of or shortly prior to ingestion of a meal) of (I) (an unit dose of 50-600 Units (2-23 mg)) with (II) (20-600 mg) that facilitates absorption of (I) from the gastrointestinal tract to provide a time point of 15-20 minutes after oral administration of the dose, the dose being sufficient to compensate for the lack of a first phase insulin response, which occurs endogenously in a non-diabetic subject in response to an ingested meal and administration of an agent that causes the patient to secrete sufficient insulin to provide a second phase insulin response to a meal that occurs in a non-diabetic subject substantially from endogenous insulin release;

(3) a method of treating pre-diabetic patients, early stage type 2 patients and/or late stage type 2 diabetic patients comprising oral administration to the mammal on a chronic basis a pharmaceutical formulation comprising (I) and (II) that facilitates absorption of (I) from the gastrointestinal tract, discontinuing the chronic administration and obtaining as a result of the chronic administration, an improved effect as compared to baseline levels before the chronic administration, the improved effect consists of improved glucose tolerance, improved glycemic control, improved glucose homeostasis, spared beta-cell function, prevention of beta-cell death or dysfunction, reduction in the hyperinsulinemia, delay in the onset of overt or insulin dependent diabetes, reduction in the incidence of a disease state associated with chronic dosing of (I), improved insulin utilization and insulin sensitivity or improved insulin secretion capacity;

(4) a method for treating a patient in accordance with the patient's stage of development of diabetes mellitus comprising identifying a patient's stage of diabetes along a continuum of development of diabetes as one of prediabetic stage, early stage type 2 diabetes, late stage type 2 diabetes and type 1 diabetes and recommending a treatment to the patient that includes an oral insulin treatment appropriate to the patient's stage along the continuum of development of diabetes;

(5) an oral solid dosage form comprising a dose of (I) and (II); and

(6) a substantially homogenous oral tablet comprising (I) and (II).

ACTIVITY - Antidiabetic.

The effect of (I) (following two weeks of preprandial and bedtime administration) on glycemic control was tested in diet-treated type 2 diabetic patients. The results showed that the administration of oral insulin for two weeks showed a significant decrease in post prandial glucose excursion.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - None given.

USE - (I) is useful to treat diabetes (claimed) and reduces the adverse effects of hyperinsulinemia or hyperglycemia.

ADVANTAGE - (I) reduces adverse effects and the incidence of diseases that are associated with systemic hyperinsulinemia and hyperglycemia, especially to the beta cells of the pancreas.

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Title Terms: TREAT; DIABETES; PATIENT; COMPRISE; UNMODIFIED; INSULIN; PHARMACEUTICAL; ACCEPT; DELIVER; AGENT; TREAT; DIABETES; REDUCE; ADVERSE; SIDE; EFFECT; HYPERINSULINAEMIA; HYPERGLYCAEMIC

Derwent Class: B04; B05; B07

International Patent Class (Main): A61K-000/00

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XRPX Acc No: N03-221441
Method for collaboratively funding output over communications network by binding provider participant to supply output according to stated specification and at least one of terms should hurdle level be achieved
Patent Assignee: NONZERO LLC (NONZ-N); WOLF L (WOLF-I)
Inventor: CARY S; WOLF L
Number of Countries: 100 Number of Patents: 003
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AU 2002247354	A1	G06F-000/00	Based on patent WO 200323576

Abstract (Basic): WO 200323576 A2
NOVELTY - Binding contingent purchase orders are received from a number of customer participants who agree to participate in the collaborative funding pool. A provider participant may supply the output according to the stated specification and at least one of the terms should the hurdle level be achieved. Selected information pertaining to the status of the collaborative funding pool is made available to the participants.
DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for:
(a) an apparatus for collaboratively funding output over a communication network
USE - For accurately predicting initial demand for new design, research, development, and/or delivery of products and/or services (Outputs) and fully or partially funding these Outputs in advance of their creation.
ADVANTAGE - Facilitates the formation of efficient and reliable business collaborations, particularly among providers and their current and/or potential customers, to fund the design, research, development, and/or delivery of new outputs. The facilitation of collaborations may produce many new and valuable outputs. Enables providers to accurately gauge initial demand for proposed new products and services by offering a device for customers to vote for their preferences with binding advance purchase commitments. Enables providers to fund the design, research, development, and/or delivery of new products and services from customers binding advance purchase commitments rather than from equity sales, borrowing, and/or the diversion of enterprise cash flow. A number of collaborative Customers can openly agree to pay **different prices** for the same good or service under the same terms and

conditions depending upon the relative value of the output to each collaborating customer. Enables providers to generate revenues needed to justify the creation of a new output in cases where no single price can be found that would **stimulate sales** adequate to earn the provider an adequate profit. Reduces the prices of successful new products and services by reducing the expense of new product and service failures since the expense of such failures must typically be recouped by an enterprise in the price of their successful new products and services.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing is a database software summary overview diagram in accordance with the present invention.

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Title Terms: METHOD; OUTPUT; COMMUNICATE; NETWORK; BIND; PARTICIPATING; SUPPLY; OUTPUT; ACCORD; SPECIFICATION; ONE; TERM; HURDLE; LEVEL; ACHIEVE

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ROLLING BEARING

PUB. NO.: 2003-322155 [JP 2003322155 A]
PUBLISHED: November 14, 2003 (20031114)
INVENTOR(s): KISHI MINEO
OURA YUKIO
KAWAMURA HISASHI
APPLICANT(s): NSK LTD
APPL. NO.: 2003-051483 [JP 200351483]
FILED: February 27, 2003 (20030227)
PRIORITY: 2002-052046 [JP 200252046], JP (Japan), February 27, 2002 (20020227)
INTL CLASS: F16C-033/32; C23C-030/00; F16C-019/06; F16C-033/62

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a rolling bearing capable of certainly preventing skidding damage even if slips frequently occur because of high-speed rotation and a service in a light-load environment and also reducing a manufacturing cost and simplifying a **manufacturing** process. SOLUTION: A three- **point** contacting ball bearing 2 is used in which each ball 8 is held in such a way as contacting at one point with a raceway groove 4a of an outer ring 4 and at one point each of raceway grooves 6a and 7a of an inner rings 6 and 7. Phosphorus-based reforming films are formed on surfaces of the balls 8, the raceway surface 4a of the outer ring 4, and raceway surfaces 6a and 7a of the inner rings 6 and 7. The ball bearing 2 is used in high-speed rotation and in a light-load environment such that Pr/Cr≤0.05 and V)70 m/s, where Pr is a dynamic equation radial load, Cr is a fundamental **dynamic rated** load, and V is a relative slipping speed between a driving ring and the ball 8, with the driving ring being either of the inner rings 6, 7 and the outer ring 4.

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MIRROR PRESSER BAR SPRING AND ITS PRODUCTION

PUB. NO.: 08-248300 [JP 8248300 A]
PUBLISHED: September 27, 1996 (19960927)
INVENTOR(s): YOSHINO KATSUHIRO
APPLICANT(s): ASAHI OPTICAL CO LTD [350041] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP (Japan)
APPL. NO.: 07-074681 [JP 9574681]
FILED: March 08, 1995 (19950308)
INTL CLASS: [6] G02B-007/198; B41J-002/44
JAPIO CLASS: 29.2 (PRECISION INSTRUMENTS -- Optical Equipment); 29.4 (PRECISION INSTRUMENTS -- Business Machines)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To simplify a **production stage** and to reduce **cost** by **changing** the shape of the mirror presser bar spring being a sheet

material parts for fixing a mirror set inside the optical system device of a laser printer.

CONSTITUTION: A mirror pressing part 20 is provided with a spherical projection 20a abutting on a part of the mirror, and a device housing pressing part 30 is provided with a tongue-like projection part 30a abutting on a part of the wall surface of the device, then the mirror presser bar spring provided with a stopper part 10 is arranged at the upper part of the mirror pressing part 20. The stopper part 10 is bent in the same direction as the projection 20a on a folding line forming the angle of about 5 deg. with the edge of the mirror pressing part 20, and the lower side of the stopper part 10 forms the angle of about 85 deg. with the edge of the mirror pressing part 20

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05208889 **Image available**
TREATMENT OF WASTE INK LIQUID

PUB. NO.: 08-164389 [JP 8164389 A]
PUBLISHED: June 25, 1996 (19960625)
INVENTOR(s): MURAKAMI TAKESHI
SHISHIDO MASAAKI
APPLICANT(s): KURITA WATER IND LTD [000106] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP (Japan)
APPL. NO.: 06-308978 [JP 94308978]
FILED: December 13, 1994 (19941213)
INTL CLASS: [6] C02F-001/44; B01D-061/02; C02F-001/52
JAPIO CLASS: 13.1 (INORGANIC CHEMISTRY -- Processing Operations); 24.3 (CHEMICAL ENGINEERING -- Mixing, Separation & Chrushing)
JAPIO KEYWORD:R120 (ULTRAFILTRATION, UF)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To efficiently decolor a concd. waste liquid as it is without dilution by bringing the waste ink liquid discharged from ink package producing **stages** , etc., related to semiconductor **production** into contact with a reverse osmosis membrane of a high salt removal **rate** to **separate** the liquid to a permeated liquid and the concd. liquid, adding a flocculating agent to the concd. liquid and separating the liquid to precipitate and supernatant water.

CONSTITUTION: The waste liquid in an original liquid tank 1 is supplied from a piping 11 having a circulating pump 21 to a reverse osmosis membrane separator 2 to cause the reverse osmosis membrane separation The permeated liquid obtained in such a manner is taken out of the piping 12 and is admitted into a treated water tank 3. The concd. liquid of the reverse osmosis membrane separator 2 is withdrawn from the piping 13 and is partly returned at need directly to the original liquid tank 1 from as piping 15. The remaining part is fed from a piping 14 to a fluocculation reaction tank. The flocculating agent 16 is added to the concd. liquid in this flocculation reaction tank 4 to effect flocculation reaction. The flocculation reaction liquid is fed from a piping 17 to a settling tank 5. The sludge subjected to settling separation in the setting tank 5 is withdrawn from the piping 18 outside the system and the supernatant liquid is returned from a piping 19 to the original liquid tank 1

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MANUFACTURE OF SOLID LUBRICATING ROLLING BEARING

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PUBLISHED: September 20, 1994 (19940920)
INVENTOR(s): FUJII SHUICHI
TAKESHITA KOJI
APPLICANT(s): YASKAWA ELECTRIC CORP [000662] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP (Japan)
APPL. NO.: 05-077671 [JP 9377671]
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JAPIO CLASS: 22.1 (MACHINERY -- Machine Elements)
JAPIO KEYWORD:R020 (VACUUM TECHNIQUES)
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ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To reduce a large quantity of dust at the initial **stage** of rotation, in the **manufacturing** method of a rolling bearing where a solid lubricating film is applied onto a transfer surface and a rolling body and which is provided with a holder made of composite material containing solid lubricant, by making the ratio of dynamic equivalent load to a basic **dynamic rated** load under a particular atmospheric pressure a particular value for running-in operation at a particular total rotational speed.

CONSTITUTION: A solid lubricating film is applied onto either or both of transfer surface of an inner ring 11 or an outer ring and the surface of a rolling body 13, and an anti-friction bearing 1 provided with a holder 14 which is made of composite material containing solid lubricant is run in under the conditions of atmospheric pressure 1X10(sup -6)-1X10(sup 2)Pa, and the ratio range of equivalent load to a basic dynamic rated load to be applied to the bearing 11.0-7.5% so that the total rotational speed range of the bearing 1 may be 1.0X10(sup 5)-3.5X10(sup 6) times. It is possible to remove excessively adhering spatter film of MoS(sub 2), thus preventing a large amount of dust at the initial stage of rotation and preventing contamination of clean environment in vacuum

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WPI Acc No: 2003-513872/200348
XRAM Acc No: C03-137672
XRPX Acc No: N03-407850

Release etching of micro electro-mechanical device, e.g. floating beams, by release etching micro electro mechanical substrate within reactor with gas phase mixture of halide-containing compound and hydroxyl containing solvent

Patent Assignee: PRIMAXX INC (PRIM-N)
Inventor: GRANT R W
Number of Countries: 102 Number of Patents: 002
Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
WO 200349156	A2	20030612	WO 2002US38679	A	20021204	200348	B
AU 2002353039	A1	20030617	AU 2002353039	A	20021204	200419	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2001337611 P 20011204
Patent Details:
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Designated States (Regional): AT BE BG CH CY CZ DE DK EA EE ES FI FR GB GH GM GR IE IT KE LS LU MC MW MZ NL OA PT SD SE SI SK SL SZ TR TZ UG ZM ZW
AU 2002353039 A1 H01L-021/00 Based on patent WO 200349156

Abstract (Basic): WO 200349156 A2

NOVELTY - A micro electro-mechanical (MEMS) release etching involves positioning a MEMS substrate within a reactor, and release etching the substrate with a gas phase mixture of a halide-containing compound and a hydroxyl containing solvent to produce a MEMS device.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a system for carrying out the above method, comprising a reactor (100), substrate mounting assembly (200) for holding substrates in interior (250) of the reactor, and gas flow assembly (300, 350) providing a reactive gas flow on the surfaces of the substrates.

USE - The method is for micro electro mechanical release etching of MEMS structure, e.g. floating beams, springs, or accelerometers.

ADVANTAGE - The inventive method avoids problem of stiction while achieving greater **production** rates than existing gas- **phase** etching of MEMS substrate. It prevents variations in gas flow velocity and direction within the reactor that cause variation in etching **rates** in **different** parts on the reactor interior. It thus enables an increased production rate of MEMS substrates while preserving the beneficial characteristic of gas-phase MEMS substrate etching.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure is an exploded perspective view of MEMS etch reactor.

Reactor (100)
Substrate mounting assembly (200)
Interior (250)
Gas flow assembly (300, 350)
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Title Terms: RELEASE; ETCH; MICRO; ELECTRO; MECHANICAL; DEVICE; FLOAT; BEAM ; RELEASE; ETCH; MICRO; ELECTRO; MECHANICAL; SUBSTRATE; REACTOR; GAS; PHASE; MIXTURE; HALIDE; CONTAIN; COMPOUND; HYDROXYL; CONTAIN; SOLVENT
Derwent Class: L03; Q68; U11; U12; V06
International Patent Class (Main): H01L-021/00
International Patent Class (Additional): B81C-001/00; B81C-001/000
File Segment: CPI; EPI; EngPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

014243578 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 2002-064278/200209
XRPX Acc No: N02-047759
Load scheduling device for vehicles used for industrial activities, evaluates loading rate of objects, in different orders, in loading area
Patent Assignee: FUJI ELECTRIC CO LTD (FJIE); SANNOMIYA N (SANN-I)
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
JP 2001249970	A	20010914	JP 200059022	A	20000303	200209	B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 200059022 A 20000303
Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
JP 2001249970	A		21	G06F-017/60	

Abstract (Basic): JP 2001249970 A

NOVELTY - An initial **stage production** unit (20) produces multiple objects for arrangement in different order and **different rate** in loading area. Another production unit (60) produces multiple objects for arrangement and changes the order of already arranged objects. An evaluation unit (40) evaluates the loading rate, suitable for loading area for objects loaded by a loading unit (30).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for load scheduling method using generic algorithm.

USE - For scheduling loading pattern of objects onto truck used for industrial activities like delivery of goods, inventory, etc.

ADVANTAGE - Enables scheduling amount of loading optimally.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of loading scheduling device. (Drawing includes non-English language text).

Production units (20,60)
Loading unit (30)
Evaluation unit (40)
pp; 21 DwgNo 1/31

Title Terms: LOAD; SCHEDULE; DEVICE; VEHICLE; INDUSTRIAL; ACTIVE; EVALUATE; LOAD; RATE; OBJECT; ORDER; LOAD; AREA
Derwent Class: Q35; T01
International Patent Class (Main): G06F-017/60
International Patent Class (Additional): B65G-057/03; G06F-019/00; G06N-003/00
File Segment: EPI; EngPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

013123611 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 2000-295482/200026
XRAM Acc No: C00-089470
XRPX Acc No: N00-221745

Multiphase flowmeter for measuring flow rates in oil well tubulars, comprises transmitter that generates in-wall leaky acoustic wave modes, and receiver that determines wave attenuation

Patent Assignee: SCHLUMBERGER LTD (SLMB); SCHLUMBERGER TECHNOLOGY CORP (SLMB)
Inventor: HUANG S; KUHN DE CHIZELLE Y
Number of Countries: 002 Number of Patents: 003
Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
GB 2343249	A	20000503	GB 9924136	A	19991013	200026	B
GB 2343249	B	20010117	GB 9924136	A	19991013	200105	
US 6575043	B1	20030610	US 99419825	A	19991019	200340	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): GB 9823675 A 19981030
Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes

GB 2343249 A 39 G01F-001/66
GB 2343249 B G01F-001/66
US 6575043 B1 G01F-001/66

Abstract (Basic): GB 2343249 A

NOVELTY - A flowmeter comprises at least one transmitter that generates acoustic waves and at least one acoustic energy receiver on the outside of a conduit that carries a fluid to be measured and additional electronic components. The transmitter generates in-wall leaky acoustic wave modes. The receiver and electronic components receive and determine the attenuation of waves that have propagated within the conduit wall (211).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a method of measuring characteristic parameters of fluid flow within a conduit, using the above apparatus.

USE - Used as a multiphase flowmeter for measuring the flow rates of a liquid (oil and water) and gas in oil well tubulars, e.g. production pipelines, flowlines and risers etc, especially for monitoring streams of formation fluid produced from subterranean hydrocarbon formations. It is used particularly in horizontal pipes where the flow regimes are mainly slug/bubbly or wavy stratified.

ADVANTAGE - The ultrasonic energy propagation path is in the pipe wall rather than through the fluid. Consequently, the flowmeter will work even at very high gas flow rates, without generating the bubbles that lead to complete blockage of the through flow transmission. Measurements of the flow rates of individual phases in a multiphase flow are obtained.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing shows a shear or compressional wave mode propagating in a zig-zag path within the conduit wall.

conduit wall (211)

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Title Terms: MULTIPHASE; FLOWMETER; MEASURE; FLOW; RATE; OIL; WELL; COMPRISE; TRANSMIT; GENERATE; WALL; LEAK; ACOUSTIC; WAVE; MODE; RECEIVE; DETERMINE; WAVE; ATTENUATE

Derwent Class: H01; S02

International Patent Class (Main): G01F-001/66

International Patent Class (Additional): G01F-001/20

File Segment: CPI; EPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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WPI Acc No: 2000-242194/200021

XRPX Acc No: N00-182301

Induction heating coil used in lid heaters of electric rice cooker, has conductor with fusion and insulating layers, and melting point of fusion and insulating layers satisfies preset equation

Patent Assignee: KURABE KK (KURA-N)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
JP 2000058251	A	20000225	JP 98259226	A	1998082	200021	B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 98167699 A 19980601

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
JP 2000058251	A		6	H05B-006/36	

Abstract (Basic): JP 2000058251 A

NOVELTY - Conductor has insulated layer of fluororesin with melting point of T1 deg. C. Fusion layer of thermoplastic resin consists of polyester elastomer, polyamide or polyurethane resin. Difference between melting point of insulating layer and fusion layer is less than or equal to 100 deg. C.

USE - For coil in lid heater, trunk heaters of electric rice cooker.

ADVANTAGE - Coil for induction heating can do shape retention with stability for long period of time, by providing insulating layer of outstanding heat resistance, and fusion layer of melting **point** in specified **range** . **Manufacturing cost** is reduced, and can be used for broad application.

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Title Terms: INDUCTION; HEAT; COIL; LID; HEATER; ELECTRIC; RICE; COOKER; CONDUCTOR; FUSE; INSULATE; LAYER; MELT; POINT; FUSE; INSULATE; LAYER; SATISFY; PRESET; EQUATE

Derwent Class: X25

International Patent Class (Main): H05B-006/36

File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

012299749 **Image available**

WPI Acc No: 1999-105855/199909

XRAM Acc No: C99-031619

Single stage production **of blow moulding preforms of thermoplastics resin - using multicavity moulds with groups of cavities cooled at** different rates .

Patent Assignee: SIPA SPA (SIPA-N)

Inventor: ARMELLIN A; DA RIOL N; DE NARDI I; RODIGHIERO L

Number of Countries: 023 Number of Patents: 009

Patent Family:

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WO 9901267	A2	19990114	WO 98EP3793	A	19980622	199909	B
EP 993361	A2	20000419	EP 98938620	A	19980622	200024	
			WO 98EP3793	A	19980622		
IT 1294138	B	19990322	IT 97PN39	A	19970703	200154	
BR 9809010	A	20020129	BR 989010	A	19980622	200211	
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JP 2002507163	W	20020305	WO 98EP3793	A	19980622	200220	
			JP 99506247	A	19980622		
EP 993361	B1	20020327	EP 98938620	A	19980622	200222	
			WO 98EP3793	A	19980622		
DE 69804456	E	20020502	DE 604456	A	19980622	200237	
			EP 98938620	A	19980622		
			WO 98EP3793	A	19980622		
US 6409946	B1	20020625	WO 98EP3793	A	19980622	200246	
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ES 2175746	T3	20021116	EP 98938620	A	19980622	200302	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): IT 97PN39 A 19970703

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IT 1294138 B B29C-000/00
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DE 69804456 E B29C-049/64 Based on patent EP 993361
Based on patent WO 9901267
US 6409946 B1 B29C-049/64 Based on patent WO 9901267
ES 2175746 T3 B29C-049/64 Based on patent EP 993361

Abstract (Basic): WO 9901267 A

Preforms of thermoplastics resin for successive blow moulding are produced by filling a number of multi cavity moulds (1) with molten resin, holding and cooling the resin in the moulds, removing the preforms from the moulds, subjecting the preforms to temperature conditioning, and transferring the conditioned preforms to blow moulding tools (14) for a final stretch blow moulding operation. Each multi cavity mould (1) has the cavities in several clusters (12,13) which are cooled by forced circulation of cooling medium, with the cavities of each cluster (12a,13a) cooled in a distinct and different way relative the cavities of other clusters in the same mould. The method, and the blow moulding apparatus operating according to the method, are claimed independently.

USE - Provides a single stage process for producing preforms for blowing into bottles or containers, particularly bottles for carbonated beverages.

ADVANTAGE - Allows use of a reduced number of moulds containing an increased number of cavities to produce preforms which are conveyed to a lesser number of blow moulding station in an orderly sequence and are blown at substantially the same temperature, irrespective of their different times of blowing.

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Title Terms: SINGLE; STAGE; PRODUCE; BLOW; MOULD; PREFORM; THERMOPLASTICS; RESIN; MULTICAVITY; MOULD; GROUP; CAVITY; COOLING; RATE
Derwent Class: A32; A92
International Patent Class (Main): B29C-000/00; B29C-049/64
International Patent Class (Additional): B29C-049/78
File Segment: CPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

007538252 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1988-172184/198825
XRAM Acc No: C88-098403
XRPX Acc No: N88-168123

Mfr. of optical phase shifting board - by differential etching of two-layer structure

Patent Assignee: SHARP KK (SHAF)
Number of Countries: 003 Number of Patents: 006
Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week	
JP 63110787	A	19880516	JP 86257860	A	19861029	198825	B
GB 2200765	A	19880810	GB 8725170	A	19871027	198832	
US 4780175	A	19881025	US 87113003	A	19871026	198845	
GB 2232271	A	19901205	GB 8713070	A	19871027	199049	

GB 2200765 B 19910626 199126
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 86257860 A 19861029; JP 86256072 A 19861027
Patent Details:
Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes
JP 63110787 A 19
US 4780175 A 9

Abstract (Basic): JP 63110787 A

Optical phase-shifting board is made by: forming two or more layer-elements (2,3) with different etching rates on a substrate (1); and etching to remove portions fo the upper-element (3) with the highest etching rate. The thickness of the upper layer-element is set to correspond to the optical phase-shift to be attained. The etching rate ratio of the upper layer (3) to the next layer below (2) is pref. 1:10. Pref. the top layer (3) is Si3N4 and the second layer (2) is SiO2.

USE/ADVANTAGE - With a semiconductor laser system. (claimed) Board is formed with uniform planes and excellent reproducibility; it can be formed compact and provides stabilised phase-shifting operation. (First major country equivalent to J63110787-A)

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Title Terms: MANUFACTURE; OPTICAL; PHASE; SHIFT; BOARD; DIFFERENTIAL; ETCH; TWO; LAYER; STRUCTURE
Derwent Class: L03; P78; P81; U11; U12; V07; V08
International Patent Class (Additional): B44C-001/22; C03C-015/00; C03C-025/06; G02B-005/18; G02B-007/00; H01S-003/18
File Segment: CPI; EPI; EngPI

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004544763
WPI Acc No: 1986-048107/198607
XRAM Acc No: C86-020305
Isotopic enrichment of uranium - process is carried out in soln.
Patent Assignee: WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC CORP (WESE)
Inventor: PETERSON S H; PHILLIPS D C
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
Patent Family:
Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
US 4567025 A 19860128 US 83525590 A 19830728 198607 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 83525590 A 19830728
Patent Details:
Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes
US 4567025 A 7

Abstract (Basic): US 4567025 A

(i) A uranium cpd. (I) contg. a mixt. of isotopes and comprising UO2(2+) ions in the presence of at least one complexing ligand (II) is mixed with solvent to obtain a soln. (III). (ii) Cpd. (I) in soln. (III) is then excited by photolysis of complexed UO2(2+) ions to promote a chemical reaction which preferentially forms an isolated phase (IV) contg. an enriched U isotopic **distribution** . (iii) the enriched **phase** (IV) is sepd. to recover enriched U. (II) is CO3(2-), O2(2-), F(-), CH3 COO(-), C2O4(2-) or H2O. (I) has at least one excited

state in soln. and isotopes in this state react at **different rates** due to dissimilar nuclear magnetic moment contributions to the kinetics of the excited state reactions; the reactions lead to isolation of phase (IV).

Enriched phase obtd. in (iii) is pref. repeatedly subjected to stages (i) to (iii) to increase enrichment. (III) is esp. an aq. soln. contg. UO2(CH3COO)2(H2O) and phase (IV) is UO2(CH3COO)(OH)(H2O)n.

USES/ADVANTAGES - Reaction is in soln. and volatile U cpds. are not handled. Standard methods can be used for final sepn. Reagent and energy costs are a min. (II) can be recovered for recycling. Process is not mass dependent. Phases 4ich in U-235 and U-238 can be obtd. (7pp Dwg.No.0/3

Title Terms: ISOTOPE; ENRICH; URANIUM; PROCESS; CARRY; SOLUTION
Derwent Class: E31; K05
International Patent Class (Additional): B01D-059/00
File Segment: CPI

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01056423 **Image available**
DERIVATIVES HAVING DEMAND-BASED, ADJUSTABLE RETURNS, AND TRADING EXCHANGE THEREFOR
PRODUITS DERIVES PRESENTANT DES RENDEMENTS AJUSTABLES BASES SUR LA DEMANDE ET ECHANGES COMMERCIAUX ASSOCIES
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
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WEISS Charles A (et al) (agent), Kenyon & Kenyon, One Broadway, New York, NY 10004, US,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
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Application: WO 2003US7990 20030313 (PCT/WO US03007990)
Priority Application: US 2002115505 20020402
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Claims

Claim
... 1. 1, this profit would be approximate since the states are defined to include a **range** of discrete possible closing prices. In preferred embodiments, an investment in a state receives the...

...on a multi-state, multi-event DRF. In a preferred embodiment of a DBARP involving **different** events relating to different financial products, a DRF is employed in which returns for each...

...assumed that on the expiration date of 10/1/99,
the following actual outcomes for **prices** are observed:
MSFT: 106 (appreciated by 10.42%)
IBM 127 (depreciated by 1.55%)
In...executed. (3) The total amount of executed lots equals the total amount invested across the **distribution** of defined states. (4) The ratio of payouts should each constituent state of a given...

...of .9195 are added, the new m id-market price is
equal to Assuming the **distribution** of investments for this

illustrative example, addition of any more lots will drive the mid...

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CELL ISOLATION AND SCREENING DEVICE AND METHOD OF USING SAME
DISPOSITIF D'ISOLATION ET DE PROTECTION CELLULAIRE, ET PROCEDE D'UTILISATION
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
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Patent Applicant/Inventor:
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Legal Representative:
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Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 200311451 A1 20030213 (WO 0311451)
Application: WO 2002US24068 20020729 (PCT/WO US0224068)
Priority Application: US 2001307843 20010727; US 2001334593 20011203; US 200284063 20020228
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... there are several issues that have to be addressed. First, the cells will grow at **different rates** , thus the point at which one must perform the assay for antibody **production** to assess positive pools of cells can vary and may require more than one assay...

...pool of cells. During this process, the rapidly growing cells need to be passaged in **order** to **promote** viability and to prevent loss of potentially positive clones. The next step is to perforin...

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METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR FORMULATION, INITIAL PUBLIC OR PRIVATE OFFERING, AND SECONDARY MARKET TRADING OF RISK MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS
PROCEDES ET SYSTEME POUR LA FORMULATION DE PREMIERES OFFRES PUBLIQUES OU PRIVEES ET LA NEGOCIATION DE MARCHE SECONDAIRE POUR DES CONTRATS DE GESTION DE RISQUES

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Claims

Claim
... of the preferred embodiment of the present invention includes creating markets for the promotion, sales, **distribution** , and exchange (trading) of coupons. Coupons can be claims on any product or service. Preferably ...

...set future prices and marketing strategies; and
Eliminating scalpers and other inefficiencies in the ticket **supply chain** . If the Grasshoppers are holding a ...The apparatus and method of the present invention can create markets for the promotion, sales, **distribution** , and trading of claim checks on advance sales items. Such prepaid claim checks will be...

...selling and exchanging hedge instruments, would charge manufacturers and producers an up-front sales and **distribution** fee for providing a - 46 **distribution** channel for their ASCs. Optionally, the hedging service can

levy a pertrade transactions fee on...

...get by waiting. Selling tradable ASCs is also a way for producers to finance the **production** of their product. ASC financing may be superior to debt or equity financing, especially if...other ASCs in the thus created market. Booklets are a good way for Amazon to **stimulate** **sales** volume.
Exmple 5: Advance Sales Coupon for New Car
In the Amazon example above, the...
...the last minute. Selling tradable coupons is also a way for producers to finance the **production** of their product. Coupon financing may be superior to debt or equity financing, especially if...one price; wait a few days; offer to sell an additional 1000 coupons at a **different** **price** (which may reflect demand for the first 500 coupons); wait a week; offer to sell...restricted clientele" contracts. Companies carry many risks such as those inherent in receivables, cash flow, **supply** **chain** and inventory management. A Market Authority acting in accordance with the present invention can help...

...created market or set up an internal firm-Specific or intraindustry futures markets for (1) **supply** **chain** management or (2) risk-sharing management. A business acting in accordance with the present invention...

...market management" fee. The market-management fee could be per-transaction or a flat fee.
Supply **Chain** Management
I 0 To determine how much to manufacture or buy for inventory, manufacturers and...days; offer to sell an additional 1000 Firm-Specific and Intra-Industry Contracts at a **different** **price** (which may reflect demand for the first 500 Firm-Specific and IntraIndustry Contracts); wait a...

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SEMI-FUNGIBLE COMMODITY ITEM TRANSACTIONS
PROCEDE ET SYSTEME PERMETTANT DES TRANSACTIONS DE BIENS UTILITAIRES SEMI-FONGIBLES
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Claims

Claim
... 88/unit for a 50% split of products d and h.
Based on these prices **purchaser** 1 decides to **award** 40,000 units of the'
45,000 unit current needs and **purchaser** 2 decides to **award** 10,000 units of the 15,000 unit current necds. They each initially allocate their...could be prompted for a utility value and range, Le. 54 +/- 3 and/or a **price** and **range** 85 +/- 5. In this manner, the values can be used to define the utility function...to perform a reallocation, the system can automatically allocate or suggest a specific volume allocation **distribution** to items A and/or B in FIG. 13 or FIG. 14, or the purchaser...

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SYSTEME DE JOUETS INTERACTIFS EN RESEAU
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... or parent of child user of auto-corrects - upgrades/downgrades language level and/or learning **rate** .

Preferably, the Toy teaches oral language.

As an entertaining educational language learning program, the toy...

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00806384
NETWORK AND LIFE CYCLE ASSET MANAGEMENT IN AN E-COMMERCE ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF
GESTION D'ACTIFS DURANT LE CYCLE DE VIE ET EN RESEAU DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE COMMERCE ELECTRONIQUE ET PROCEDE ASSOCIE
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... A system, method and article of manufacture are provided for asset management in a networkbased **supply chain** . Utilizing a network, information is received information from at least one service provider. This information...or
resellers;
Figure 3 is a flowchart for a process for affording a network-based **supply chain** framework in
accordance with an embodiment of the present invention;
Figure 4 is a chart...

...Figure 9 illustrates a flowchart for a methodology for managing orders in a network-based **supply**
chain in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention;
Figure 10 illustrates a flowchart for a process for managing assets in a network-based **supply**
chain in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention;
Figure I 1 illustrates a flowchart for a methodology 1100 for providing maintenance and service in a network-based **supply chain** in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention; Figure 12 is a block diagram ...operate equally well with vendors, resellers, etc.

In more detail, the present invention manages the **supply chain** between the manufacturer(s) and I ider(s). The industry supply management is centralized in...

...serv ce provi 1 1
Space 206, which includes components that manage end-to-end **supply** **chain** information such as demand planning, order fulfillment, scheduling, inventory, etc. In embodiments of the present...
...present invention include: economies of scale are enabled, rationalization of procurement and inventory, rationalization of **distribution** and logistics facilities, and facilitation of the development of an industry-wide standard. More benefits...

...a system each has a common logistics profile and limitations. The

manufacturers may focus on **production** core competence and would also be i Ic for strategic and tactical optimization of network or a **distribution** and logistics component 220.

Figure 3 illustrates a flowchart for a process 300 for affording a network-based **supply chain** framework in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention. Installation of a service is...

...order to cash. Illustrative benefits associated with cost reduction 404 include: (a) duplication reduction; (b) **distribution** facility rationalization; (c) procurement rationalization; (d) simplified processes; and (e) transportation rationalization. Illustrative benefits associated with capital reduction 406 include: (a) reduced inventories; and (b) **manufacturing** capacity utilization.

Figure 4 also includes a plurality of columns for various components of the...

...Demand and Supply Planning component may include the following: rapid integration of acquisition, duplication reduction, **distribution** facility rationalization, procurement rationalization, reduced inventories, and **manufacturing** capacity utilization. Further, benefits for the manufacturer under the Demand and Supply Planning component in this illustrative embodiment of the present invention may include the following.

duplication reduction, **distribution** facility rationalization, reduced inventories, and **manufacturing** capacity utilization.

With regards to the Order Management component for this illustrative embodiment, benefits for...

...of the present invention may include: faster order to cash, duplication reduction, simplified processes, and **manufacturing** capacity utilization.

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Turning now to the Network Asset Management component column, benefits for the...

...provider under the Maintenance and Service component may include: better on-line network performance, and **distribution** facility rationalization. Benefits for the manufacturer under the Maintenance and Service component may include: duplication reduction, and **distribution** facility rationalization.

Figure 5 is a schematic illustration of the relationship between areas of core...

...of a manufacturer 504 may include: focus on managing the customer relationship, focus on managing **production** capacity, focus on research and development ("R&D"), and focus on market coverage roll out... manufacturers and service providers may be coordinated utilizing the network. In such an embodiment, a **supply chain** planning tool may be provided for coordinating the supply of manufacturer offerings between the manufacturers...

...between service providers and manufacturers utilizing the network. In one aspect of this embodiment, a **production** planning tool may be provided for facilitating the collaborative capacity planning. In yet a

further...

...satisfying the increasing demand to developing and employing a method and means of efficiency improvements, **production** facility optimization, and electrical conservation through demand side management. Implicit in this is the fact...

...through a fully distributed digital telecommunications switch without a centralized routing and handling facility. The **distribution** network is deployable to large numbers of residential and commercial customers for bi-directional real...

...facility, a plurality of home monitoring and control networks, and one or more wide band **distribution** networks interconnecting home monitoring and control networks and the central computer facility. The **distribution** networks connect to one or more central computer systems through substation gateways via high-speed...

...real-time consumption and changes in I 0 consumption to the power utility via the **distribution** network. Further, the home network permits automatic meter reading and remote service disconnect and reconnect. The **distribution** network includes a wire-based (hybrid fiber/coaxial cable) **distribution** system and an intelligent utility unit (IUU), which interfaces with the home network. The FJU...

...and communicates information from the home network back to the utility central computer via the **distribution** system. The **distribution** network is configured in cells or small hubs which support 250-2,000 users at ...utility central computer includes a T-based communication digital backbone network which communicates with a **distribution** network through gateways typically located within a power substation. The backbone network consolidates traffic from...

...9 illustrates a flowchart for a methodology 900 for managing orders in a network-based **supply chain** in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention. When a request for an order...illustrates a flowchart for a process 1 000 for managing assets in a network-based **supply chain** in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention. Utilizing a network, information is received...

...a flowchart for a methodology 1100 for providing maintenance and@service in a network-based **supply chain** in accordance with an embodiment of the present invention. In operation 1102, one or more Local Multi-Point **Distribution** Service
MPEG Moving Picture Expert Group
NGN Next Generation Network
OSS Operational Support Systems
PCM...changes to systems or the organization in a distributed environment.

Change Control
Testing
Implementing
Software **Distribution**
Operations Management
Systems Management consists of the day-to-day operational functions required to maintain the system (e.g. fault detection / correction, security management and performance management).

Production Control

Monitoring and Control
Fault Management
Security Management
Zo
Service Management
Service Management controls the...that will combine applications such as electron'
provi 1 1 1 IC
commerce (procurement, warehousing, **distribution** andfufflillment) as well as online banking to present the consumer with an integrated boundless shopping...PC or application server. The cable modems used provide users and applications with a wide **range** of bandwidth options from 2 to I OMbits per second depending on configuration and choice...

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FINANCIAL PRODUCTS HAVING DEMAND-BASED, ADJUSTABLE RETURNS, AND TRADING EXCHANGE THEREFOR
PRODUITS FINANCIERS AYANT DES RECETTES AJUSTABLES, FONCTION DE LA DEMANDE, ET ECHANGES COMMERCIAUX CORRESPONDANT
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Claims

Claim
... process 9 1 0, steps could be taken in process 924 to modify DRFs in **order** , for example, to **encourage** traders to invest earlier in a trading period. For example, a DRF could be modified...

...process 91 0 might indicate that traders have - 156 excessively traded

the extremes of a **distribution** in relation to actual outcomes. There is nothing inherently problematic about this, since trader expectations the future **distribution** of states, by, for example, adjusting the skew, kurtosis, or other statistical moments of the **distribution** . As depicted in FIG. IO, process 922 illustrates changing entirely the structure of one or...allocated based on a function of the ratio of the total amount invested across the **distribution** of states to the amount on the particular state. (6) Reduced settlement or clearing costs...a defined state derives directly from the expectations of other traders as to the expected **distribution** of market returns. As a result, in such embodiments, sophisticated derivative valuation models are not...

...for investing in groups of DBAR contingent claims, trader expectations are solicited over an entire **distribution** of future event outcomes. 5 In such embodiments, expectations of market crashes, for example, are...

...scope of data generation may be greatly expanded to include investor expectations of the entire **distribution** of possible
no
outcomes for respective future events on which a group of DBAR contingent claims can be based. This type o f information (e.g., did the **distribution** at time t refiect traders' expectations of a market crash which occurred at time t...

...can be derived only with great difficulty by collecting panels of option price data at **different** strike **prices** for a given financial product, using the methods originated in 1978 by the economists Litzenberger...had a market in a DBAR range derivative existed which elicited trader expectations on the **distribution** of spreads between high-grade United States Treasury securities and lower-grade debt instruments, LTCM...

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Set     Items   Description
S1    1499425   DIFFERENT OR SEPARATE OR RANGE OR CHANGING OR DYNAMIC OR E-
            ARLY OR PRE()(PURCHASE OR SALE? ?)
S2     813271   PRICE? ? OR PRICING OR COST? ? OR COST(1W)MONEY OR RATE? ?
            OR BUY
S3     856014   MANUFACTURING OR PRODUCTION OR DISTRIBUTION OR SUPPLY()CHA-
            IN
S4    1785570   MILESTONE? ? OR PHASE? ? OR STAGE? ? OR POINT? ? OR EVENT?
            ? OR BENCHMARK? ? OR ACTIVITIES
S5     159117   ENCOURAGE OR PROMOTE OR STIMULATE OR MOTIVE OR BOOST OR RE-
            WARD OR AWARD OR INDUCEMENT
S6    1034773   PURCHASE? ? OR SALE? ? OR ADOPTER? ? OR BUYER? ? OR INVEST-
            OR? ? OR ORDER? ? OR ORDERING
S7     773409   ARTICLE? ? OR GOODS OR PRODUCT? ? OR MERCHANDISE OR COMMOD-
            ITY OR COMMODITIES
S8      33982   S1(1N)S2
S9       9757   S5(3N)S6
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00743514
COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL FOR REMOTE DATA GENERATING STATIONS
UBERTRAGUNGSPROTOKOLL FUR ENTFERNTE DATENERFASSUNGSSTATIONEN
PROTOCOLE DE COMMUNICATIONS POUR DES STATIONS DE GENERATION DE DONNEES ELOIGNEES
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SPEC B	(English)	9946	37673
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...SPECIFICATION be used to accurately detect usage during specific time periods, enabling the utility to charge **different rates** for usage during different time periods in **order** to **encourage** use at non-peak times, again for load shedding purposes.
The attenuation of a radio...

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR APPLYING AND TRACKING A CONDITIONAL VALUE COUPON FOR A RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE D'APPLICATION ET DE RECHERCHE D'UN BON DE REDUCTION CONDITIONNELLE DESTINES A UN MAGASIN DE DETAIL
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Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... goods near their expiration dates, the price of that good may be adjusted accordingly to **encourage** the **sale** of the product. The conditions on the products could be new merchandise, merchandise nearing an...

...bar code symbol would be used to automatically adjust the price. Also, items could have **different** **prices** depending on whether other items were purchased as well.

Accordingly, having fully described the present...

13/3,K/3 (Item 2 from file: 349)
DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT

00485351 **Image available**
FUELING SYSTEM WITH WIRELESS DATA TRANSFER
SYSTEME DE RAVITAILLEMENT EN CARBURANT AVEC TRANSFERT DE DONNEES SANS FIL
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
GILBARCO LIMITED,
Inventor(s):
HARTSELL Hal Craig,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 9916703 A1 19990408
Application: WO 98GB2921 19980928 (PCT/WO GB9802921)
Priority Application: US 9760066 19970926; US 9824549 19980217
Designated States:
(Protection type is "patent" unless otherwise stated - for applications prior to 2004)
AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY CA CH CN CU CZ DE DK EE ES FI GB GD GE GH GM HR HU ID IL IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MD MG MK MN MW MX NO NZ PL PT RO RU SD SE SG SI SK SL TJ TM TR TT UA UG UZ VN YU ZW GH GM KE LS MW SD SZ UG ZW AM AZ BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN GW ML MR NE SN TD TG
Publication Language: English
Fulltext Word Count: 27078

Fulltext Availability:
Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... and proceed to determine transaction totals (block 650).

The system operator may elect to provide **different rates** for the first, second and third discount rates associated with the transponder, card and cash...

...methods of payment. Preferably, a greater discount is provided for transactions using a transponder in **order** to **encourage** transponder use with transactions. Similarly, to avoid the use of cash transactions, the system operator...

13/3,K/4 (Item 3 from file: 349)
DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT

00485350 **Image available**
FUEL DISPENSING SYSTEM WITH PREPAYMENT MEANS LINKED TO A TRANSPONDER
SYSTEME DE DISTRIBUTION DE CARBURANT A MOYENS DE PREPAIEMENT EN ASSOCIATION AVEC UN TRANSPONDEUR
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
GILBARCO LIMITED,
Inventor(s):
MARION Kenneth O,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 9916702 A1 19990408
Application: WO 98GB2915 19980928 (PCT/WO GB9802915)
Priority Application: US 9760066 19970926; US 9835158 19980305
Designated States:
(Protection type is "patent" unless otherwise stated - for applications prior to 2004)
AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY CA CH CN CU CZ DE DK EE ES FI GB GD GE GH GM HR HU ID IL IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MD MG MK MN MW MX NO NZ PL PT RO RU SD SE SG SI SK SL TJ TM TR TT UA UG UZ VN YU ZW GH GM KE LS MW SD SZ UG ZW AM AZ BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN GW ML MR NE SN TD TG
Publication Language: English
Fulltext Word Count: 27099

Fulltext Availability:
Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... and proceed to determine transaction totals (block 650).

The system operator may elect to provide **different rates** for the first@ second and third discount rates associated with the transponder, card and cash...

...methods of payment. Preferably, a greater discount is provided for transactions using a transponder in **order** to **encourage** transponder use with transactions. Similarly, to avoid the use of cash transactions, the system operator...

13/3,K/5 (Item 4 from file: 349)
DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT

00485349 **Image available**
FUEL DISPENSING AND RETAIL SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING LOYALTY AND CUSTOMER BENEFITS
SYSTEME DE DISTRIBUTION DE COMBUSTIBLE ET DE VENTE AU DETAIL PERMETTANT D'OFFRIR DES PROMOTIONS DE FIDELISATION A DES CLIENTS
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
GILBARCO LIMITED,
Inventor(s):
MARION Kenneth O,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 9916701 A1 19990408
Application: WO 98GB2869 19980928 (PCT/WO GB9802869)
Priority Application: US 9760066 19970926; US 9824493 19980217; US 9824491 19980217
Designated States:
(Protection type is "patent" unless otherwise stated - for applications prior to 2004)
AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY CA CH CN CU CZ DE DK EE ES FI GB GD GE GH GM HR HU ID IL IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MD MG MK MN MW MX NO NZ PL PT RO RU SD SE SG SI SK SL TJ TM TR TT UA UG UZ VN YU ZW GH GM KE LS MW SD SZ UG ZW AM AZ BY KG KZ MD RU TJ TM AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN GW ML MR NE SN TD TG
Publication Language: English
Fulltext Word Count: 21708

Fulltext Availability:
Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... and proceed to determine transaction totals (block 650).

The system operator may elect to provide **different rates** for the first, second and third discount rates associated with the transponder, card and cash...

...methods of payment. Preferably, a greater discount is provided for transactions using a transponder in **order** to **encourage** transponder use with transactions. Similarly, to

13/3,K/6 (Item 5 from file: 349)
DIALOG(R)File 349:PCT FULLTEXT
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00314442 **Image available**
COMMUNICATIONS PROTOCOL FOR REMOTE DATA GENERATING STATIONS
PROTOCOLE DE COMMUNICATIONS POUR DES STATIONS DE GENERATION DE DONNEES ELOIGNEES
Patent Applicant/Assignee:
IRIS SYSTEMS INC,
Inventor(s):
JOHNSON Dennis F,
MARCYNUK Don,
HOLOWICK Erwin,
Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):
Patent: WO 9532595 A1 19951130
Application: WO 94CA533 19940922 (PCT/WO CA9400533)

Priority Application: US 94988 19940523
Designated States:
(Protection type is "patent" unless otherwise stated - for applications prior to 2004)
AM AT AU BB BG BR BY CA CH CN CZ DE DK EE ES FI GB GE HU JP KE KG KP KR KZ LK LR LT LU LV MD MG MN MW NL NO NZ PL PT RO RU SD SE SI SK TJ TT UA UZ VN KE MW SD SZ AT BE CH DE DK ES FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE BF BJ CF CG CI CM GA GN ML MR NE SN TD TG
Publication Language: English
Fulltext Word Count: 47226

Fulltext Availability:
Detailed Description

Detailed Description
... be used to accurately detect usage during specific time periods, enabling the utility to charge **different rates** for usage during different time periods in **order** to **encourage** use at non-peak times, again for load shedding purposes.

The attenuation of a radio...

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S1    8266330   DIFFERENT OR SEPARATE OR RANGE OR CHANGING OR DYNAMIC OR E-
            ARLY OR PRE()(PURCHASE OR SALE? ?)
S2    8850282   PRICE? ? OR PRICING OR COST? ? OR COST(1W)MONEY OR RATE? ?
            OR BUY
S3    2906196   MANUFACTURING OR PRODUCTION OR DISTRIBUTION OR SUPPLY()CHA-
            IN
S4    9061700   MILESTONE? ? OR PHASE? ? OR STAGE? ? OR POINT? ? OR EVENT?
            ? OR BENCHMARK? ? OR ACTIVITIES
S5    2752560   ENCOURAGE OR PROMOTE OR STIMULATE OR MOTIVE OR BOOST OR RE-
            WARD OR AWARD OR INDUCEMENT
S6    7536665   PURCHASE? ? OR SALE? ? OR ADOPTER? ? OR BUYER? ? OR INVEST-
            OR? ? OR ORDER? ? OR ORDERING
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S8      79502   S5(3N)S6
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         (c) 2005 The Gale Group
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         (c) 2005 ProQuest Info&Learning
File 476:Financial Times Fulltext 1982-2005/Feb 02
         (c) 2005 Financial Times Ltd
File 477:Irish Times 1999-2005/Feb 01
         (c) 2005 Irish Times
File 710:Times/Sun.Times(London) Jun 1988-2005/Feb 01
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         (c) 2005 Telegraph Group
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         (c) 2005
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         (c) 2005 Denver Post
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         (c) 2005 The New York Times
File 492:Arizona Repub/Phoenix Gaz 19862002/Jan 06
         (c) 2002 Phoenix Newspapers
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         (c) 2005 St Louis Post-Dispatch
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         (c) 2005 Detroit Free Press Inc.
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         (c) 2005 Boston Globe
File 633:Phil.Inquirer 1983-2005/Jan 31
         (c) 2005 Philadelphia Newspapers Inc
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         (c) 2005 Newsday Inc.
File 640:San Francisco Chronicle 1988-2005/Feb 02
         (c) 2005 Chronicle Publ. Co.
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         (c) 2005 Scripps Howard News
File 702:Miami Herald 1983-2005/Jan 30
         (c) 2005 The Miami Herald Publishing Co.
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(c) 2005 USA Today
File 704:(Portland)The Oregonian 1989-2005/Jan 31
(c) 2005 The Oregonian
File 713:Atlanta J/Const. 1989-2005/Jan 30
(c) 2005 Atlanta Newspapers
File 714:(Baltimore) The Sun 1990-2005/Feb 01
(c) 2005 Baltimore Sun
File 715:Christian Sci.Mon. 1989-2005/Feb 02
(c) 2005 Christian Science Monitor
File 725:(Cleveland)Plain Dealer Aug 1991-2005/Jan 31
(c) 2005 The Plain Dealer
File 735:St. Petersburg Times 1989- 2005/Jan 30
(c) 2005 St. Petersburg Times

13/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

06702854 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 111503867 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Expanding horizons: with the Miami art world in the throes of rapid change, the author examines the impact of growth, spurred by the arrival of Art Basel, on public institutions, galleries and artists. (Report From Miami)
Feinstein, Roni
Art in America, 91, 12, 48(11)
Dec, 2003
ISSN: 0004-3214 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 9911 LINE COUNT: 00782

... art.
The Art Fairs
Art Basel Miami Beach is not the city's first such **event** : the Art Miami fair has been taking place in the Miami Beach Convention Center every ...

...Chicago, Art Miami is more conservative in the art it shows and lower in its **price range** than Art Basel. It is geared to the South Florida and Latin American communities, rather...
...as that of past years, but the fair had "an off year" in terms of **sales** . To **boost** revenues, a number of lower echelon galleries were included, site said, which drew bad press...

13/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

04666954 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 19029876 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
The top. (25 Best Sales Forces in the US) (includes related articles) (Best Sales Force) (Cover Story)
Brewer, Geoffrey; Conlon, Ginger; Yarbrough, John F.; Cohen, Andy; Marchetti, Michele; Dellecave, Tom, Jr.; Kaydo, Chad; Lucas, Allison
Sales & Marketing Management, v148, n11, p38(18)
Nov, 1996
DOCUMENT TYPE: Cover Story ISSN: 0163-7517 LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 14837 LINE COUNT: 01176

... discussion in which three executives talk about how they manage their reps.
So read on. **Rate** your sales force's performance against the best. And, of course, steal ideas.
RANKINGS...said, and the news shook Wall Street. Investors knocked HP's stock price down 10 **points** the next day.
All of a sudden, it seemed that this supremely confident darling of... the creation of new adult theme parks, and an effort to pitch the recreational Disney **activities** to all ages (from golfing to water sports to educational courses at the Disney Institute...

13/3,K/3 (Item 3 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

04516334 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 18325140 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Reference materials take on new directions. (travel reference guides) (includes article on publishers' marketing strategies)(Category Closeup: Travel)
Langstaff, Margaret
Publishers Weekly, v243, n22, p46(4)
May 27, 1996
ISSN: 0000-0019 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 3331 LINE COUNT: 00263

... French, German, Spanish and Japanese.
My Kingdom for a Map
While road atlases continue to **point** the way, intrepid travelers bent on exploration of specific areas generally turn to individual maps...

...new maps. "People are taking shorter and shorter trips in the '90s, and most do **buy separate** maps when they go to a city." The Let's Go Map Guides (for New...

...innovative co-promotion with CNN, PBS and American Express (see sidebar) is intended to further **boost sales** .
Vying for the same market are Fodor's City-packs. Covering eight destinations (Atlanta, Hong...

13/3,K/4 (Item 4 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

04215617 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 16727254 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Bookstore market: small but not minor.(sale of multimedia products in bookstores)
Devereaux, Elizabeth
Publishers Weekly, v242, n13, p30(2)
March 27, 1995
ISSN: 0000-0019 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT
WORD COUNT: 2126 LINE COUNT: 00163

... but it didn't work. Software stores sell at 13% or even 12% margins," she **points** out. The company shifted to unit pricing and began supplying estimated street prices, at first giving a **range** of **prices** (e.g., a title might be announced to street at $40 to $50). However, reviewers...

...New Media releases the top of the rang as the estimated street price. "It might **stimulate** more **sales** to have a lower price listed in the review," Moseley says, "but we don't...

13/3,K/5 (Item 1 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

0882009 98-42606
Corporate profile for RomTech
Klein, Gerald W
Business Wire (San Francisco, CA, US) p1
PUBL DATE: 980102
WORD COUNT: 518
DATELINE: Langhorne, PA, US, Middle Atlantic

TEXT:

...and Galaxy Deluxe(TM) (the "Galaxy Series") brand names in order to generate customer loyalty, **encourage** repeat **purchases** and differentiate the Galaxy Series products to retailers and consumers.

The company has an exclusive **distribution** agreement with Slash Corporation, a division of GT Interactive Software Corp., covering **distribution** of the company's products to retailers in North America. Retailers that purchase the company...

...outstanding	8,545,294
Approximate public float	4,500,000
Insider ownership	38%
52 week **price range**	$1 - $5 3/4
Recent price	$3
Stockholders' equity	$1,234,000
Recent insider buying...	

13/3,K/6 (Item 2 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

0682411 96-39629
Extended vision for the division: Hudson's is still upscale with fewer promotions
Roush, Matt
Crains Detroit Business (Detroit, MI, US), V12 N11 p3
PUBL DATE: 960311
WORD COUNT: 1,363
DATELINE: Detroit, MI, US, North Central

TEXT:

...with fewer promotions and associated advertising spending.

Ahlers also said she thinks the division can **boost sales** under the less promotional strategy.

"The heart of this strategy is to make the regular...

...Collection.

"We offer a much broader assortment of merchandise than those stores do, a broader **range** of **price points** , and we think we can ...and the retailer's spring fashion show seems a pretty good example.

The March 21 **event** is taking place in an unusual venue -- Shed 5 of Detroit's Eastern Market -- and...

13/3,K/7 (Item 3 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

0682284 96-39501
Top 50 residential real estate agents
Anonymous

San Antonio Business Journal (San Antonio, TX, US), V10 N8 p1B
PUBL DATE: 960308
WORD COUNT: 6,038
DATELINE: San Antonio, TX, US, Southwest

TEXT:

...carved a niche and found his greatest success in the $100,000 to $350,000 **price range** . Two of his biggest sales were in Marymont for $280,000 and in Monte Vista...

...at Bradfield Properties for the past four years. She also has garnered the National Distinguished **Sales** and Marketing **award** and is a two-time winner of the San Antonio Summit Award from the Homebuilders...years.

Among his career highlights are his receipt of the Sales and Marketing Executives' "Distinguished **Sales** & Marketing **Award** " for 1995; and being selected by WOAI Radio to host, 'What's It Worth," a...career full-time.

Carrasco says she emphasizes personal service with her clientele, no matter the **price range** . Her attitude has led her to a $600,000 sale, as well as numerous smaller...construction of a jogging track at the school. The event has now become an annual **event** with proceeds being donated to the schools that serve the Encino Park School District. He...

13/3,K/8 (Item 4 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

0682185 96-39402
A new page
Berman, Christine
Indiana Business Magazine (Indianapolis, IN, US), V40 N3 p43
PUBL DATE: 960300
WORD COUNT: 1,091
DATELINE: Indianapolis, IN, US, North Central

TEXT:

...different telephone companies depending on where calls are made and received. Those carriers often have **different rate** structures and per-minute charges.

Paging from Indianapolis to Evansville, for example, doesn't cost...

...will market a pager that allows the recipient to hear the sender's voice. Shackelford **points** to a digital voice-message pager not yet on the market. "It will come to...

...overlooked specific consumer groups other than business people, now strive to fill market niches. To **boost sales** to families, for example, communications companies are designing pagers in red, grape, vanilla, swirl or...

13/3,K/9 (Item 5 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

0676845 96-34015

The shelter industry
Gustafson-Hilton, Kathy; Fama, Randy; Bond, Bonnie
Florida Trend (St Petersburg, FL, US), V38 N11 p83
PUBL DATE: 960300
WORD COUNT: 602
DATELINE: St Petersburg, FL, US, South Atlantic

TEXT:

...a year earlier, largely because interest rates dropped during the year by almost two percentage **points** . Further drops in **rates** in **early** 1996 may **encourage** more **purchases** of used homes as well as new ones this year. The Florida Home Builders Association...

13/3,K/10 (Item 1 from file: 476)
DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext

0011611259 A20040923214-76-FT
FEATURES - MARKETING & BUSINESS BOOKS: How two Detroit dreams came off the road: LUXURY CARS: Ford and GM's hopes for Jaguar and Saab were disappointed but both have strategies to repair the brands, says James Mackintosh:
JAMES MACKINTOSH
Financial Times, London Ed1 ED, P 12
Thursday, September 23, 2004
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
SECTION HEADING: FEATURES - MARKETING & BUSINESS BOOKS
Word Count: 1,624

...they are not completely unrescuable." Saab has been forced to produce a quick fix to **boost sales** and executives argue that the next-generation 9-2 will look and feel completely different...

...their driving characteristics. The aim is the same as with badge engineering: cut development and **manufacturing costs** , allow **different** models to be made in the same factories, and reduce the time it takes to...

13/3,K/11 (Item 2 from file: 476)
DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext

0009511465 B0ICFACAFKFT
Comment & Analysis: That creepy feeling: FT INTERVIEW ANDY GROVE: The chairman and chief executive of Intel, the world's biggest chipmaker, talks to Louise Kehoe and Richard Lambert about the dangers of 'missing a turn'
LOUISE KEHOE and RICHARD LAMBERT
Financial Times, London Edition 1 ED, P 17
Friday, March 6, 1998
DOCUMENT TYPE: Features; NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 1,562

...its customers, the PC makers, for feedback.

The current market weakness is a case in **point** . Intel often lowers its microprocessor prices at the beginning of the second month in each fiscal

quarter. It followed this pattern by cutting **prices** in **early** February. Typically, this produces a burst of strong sales in the following few weeks. Only in the past few days had executives discovered that the anticipated **sales boost** had not lived up to expectations.
A growing portion of Intel's business involves orders...

13/3,K/12 (Item 1 from file: 756)
DIALOG(R)File 756:Daily/Sunday Telegraph

00195365 560304624 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Ford Fiesta in North: pounds 7,995 same model in South: pounds 8,995
CHRIS HASTINGS AND DAVID BAMBER
Sunday Telegraph, p19
Sunday, April 6, 2003
JOURNAL CODE: ST LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER SECTION HEADING: News
WORD COUNT: 615

TEXT:
...Ford so they can sell the car cheaper. It is an
attempt to try to **boost sales** in this area. I know in adverts you can see the
car for sale at **different prices** in **different** parts of the country."
A Which?
spokesman said it was the first time he had...

...The deal may well also reinforce the ancient stereotype of
Scots as thrifty to the **point** of avarice. Jason Barlow, a motoring journalist
and presenter of BBC2's Wrong Car, Right...

13/3,K/13 (Item 2 from file: 756)
DIALOG(R)File 756:Daily/Sunday Telegraph

00160221 604306238 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Online angels swoop to help at lower cost
MICHAEL BECKET
Daily Telegraph, p33
Monday, October 14, 2002
JOURNAL CODE: DT LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER SECTION HEADING: City; Your Business
WORD COUNT: 579

TEXT:
...plus pounds 45 per
deal. John Blowers, managing director of Angelbourse, said in the initial **stages** the site will also help companies to raise capital, though he admitted
"there are already...

...Angels Network, which has access to many of these private
backers of young businesses. He **points** out these organisations can find people
with pounds 250,000 to put into a venture...
...But he agreed a secondary market in the shares
would provide the liquidity which might **encourage** more **investors** still.

Mr Beer
said it needed more people who are income-rich rather than capital...

...by the computer matching sale and buy inputs from
subscribers. A seller can enter a **price range** , and this can also be done by
entrepreneurs as part of a funding exercise, with...

13/3,K/14 (Item 3 from file: 756)
DIALOG(R)File 756:Daily/Sunday Telegraph

00103000 672314082 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Put brokers' research to the test
EDMOND JACKSON
Sunday Telegraph, p6
Sunday, December 30, 2001
JOURNAL CODE: ST LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER SECTION HEADING: City; Comment - Taking Stock
WORD COUNT: 807

TEXT:
FOLLOWING my **points** last weekend about the need to grasp the risk/reward characteristics of a share, it...

...view of the business.
I notice a firm link with the quality of stewardship. If **events** repeatedly turn
out different from what the directors say, there's another hint. No matter ...

...share will outperform or underperform on a relative basis. This approach conveys nothing about the **price range** the share ought to occupy as a fair
reflection of business value and the risk...

...values. This
reached its logical absurdity in the technology boom, when any pounds 100m early **stage** internet company could rate "Undervalued". It flouts a basic principle - ie, don't confuse market...

...frank (in
print) about management, but this is often the most critical factor of risk/ **reward** . Steeled **investors** in small caps sometimes insist on seeing the
whites of the directors' eyes. Yet a...

13/3,K/15 (Item 1 from file: 641)
DIALOG(R)File 641:Rocky Mountain News

12500000
NFL THIS WEEK TEAMS, THE LOWDOWN, NUMBERS GAME, TIPPING THE SCALES
Rocky Mountain News (RM) - FRIDAY, November 12, 2004
By: Richard Lord, Rocky Mountain News
Edition: Final Section: Football Weekend Page: 9F
Word Count: 1,370

TEXT:
Chicago (3-5) at Tennessee (3 -5) 11 a .m. Sunday * Bears QB Craig Krenzel has completed less than 50 percent of his passes and has been sacked 12 times in 65 pass attempts yet is 2-0 as a starter thanks to an improved defense. That unit probably will catch a break - Steve McNair (bruised sternum) looks like he won't play . 21 sacks for the Bears defense , three more than it managed all last season. * The Titans will try to force Krenzel to prove he can beat them, crowding the line of scrimmage. That strategy produces a win...

... Houston was brought down to earth by the Broncos. The defense was torched by Jake Plummer - that doesn't bode well with Peyton Manning in waiting - and David Carr and the offense suffered through a tough day. Indy 's "D" remains suspect, so look for Carr to rebound. 73 pass completions combined for the Colts (38) and Texans (35) of 20 or more yards, ranking them 1-2 in the...

... he makes his first Jets start in place of injured Chad Pennington against the nasty Ravens defense . His past (30 TDs, 36 INTs with Dallas) suggests he's not equal to the...

...Seattle win puts it in firm control of the NFC West, a loss and it is tied , so this game is huge . While the Seahawks have reasserted themselves behind the tough running of Shaun Alexander, the Rams have lost two in a row, allowing 71 points in the process. 24sacks of Rams QB Marc Bulger, including five last week in a loss to New England . * A likely shootout boils down to two questions : Can the Rams protect Bulger? Can St. Louis stop Alexander? Toss a coin! Tampa Bay (3-5) at Atlanta (6-2) 11 a.m. Sunday * Certainly many Broncos fans find it hard to believe, but Brian Griese has saved the Buccaneers' season. He 's 3-1 as a starter and has six touchdown passes with one interception. Michael Vick should come in refreshed (after a bye) and confident (after beating Denver). 0.9 interception percentage for Buccaneer QB Griese (one in 116 passes), the best mark in the league. * The Buccaneers' defensive line has been decimated by injuries and Atlanta is No. 3 in the league in rushing. Edge , Falcons. Detroit (4-4) at Jacksonville (5-3) 11 a.m. Sunday * Like most Jaguars games, this should be a low-scoring affair. Detroit's ground game doesn 't exist , not good when going against a strong Jacksonville defense, while the Jaguars' sputtering offense will be without last-minute magician Byron Leftwich with David Garrard starting. 5 receiving touchdowns for Detroit' s Roy Williams, tops for a rookie this season. He has one touchdown for every 5.4 catches . * The Jaguars likely will stuff the run, forcing Detroit to be one-dimensional. The key...

...3-5) at New Orleans (3-5) 11 a.m. Sunday (CBS 4) * The Chiefs have 132 points the past three games while the Saints have allowed 107, including 43 Sunday. QB Trent...

... struggling QB Aaron Brooks. 15 300-yard passing games with the Chiefs for Green. He is tied for the club record with Bill Kenney. * Both teams are 3-5 but there...

... much for the Saints. Pittsburgh (7-1) at Cleveland (3-4) 11 a.m. Sunday * Coming off consecutive dominating wins against unbeaten teams , life is good for Bill Cowher and Pittsburgh. Of course, in the NFL, that usually means a letdown comes next. But this a division rivalry game , and the Steelers' recent domination on both lines is tough to ignore. 28 rushing yards...

JMB Date: 02-Feb-05

... in wins against New England and Philadelphia. * The Browns couldn't run against the Ravens **and** Pittsburgh's run " **D** " has been suffocating. The Steelers roll on. Cincinnati (3-5) at Washington (3-5) 11 a.m. Sunday * The **bad** news for Joe Gibbs is that QB Mark Brunell continues to fire blanks; the good...

... 26-3 win against Dallas. 19 years between visits to Washington for the Bengals. The **teams** ' previous meeting in **the** nation's capital was in 1985. * The Bengals need to establish a run game **to** take pressure of QB **Carson** Palmer, but Washington stuffs the run consistently. N.Y. Giants (5-3) at Arizona (3...

... of three, QB Kurt Warner is having fumble and sack issues and starting DEs Michael **Strahan** and Keith Washington are injured. The Cards, meanwhile, had their confidence buoyed by ending their...

...the Cardinals and Giants, tying them for second in the league behind the Bengals. * Dennis **Green** is making progress in the desert, **and the** lost of Strahan and Washington is a huge blow to the Giants. Minnesota (5-3 ...
...past two losses. It also doesn't help that the Vikes had a short work **week** while Green Bay is coming off a bye. 200 consecutive games played for Brett Favre...

... Bowl bad luck continues to haunt Carolina, which again is likely to be without RB **Stephen** Davis. Life hasn't been any better for the 49ers, who have moved the ball when QB Tim **Rattay** has been healthy but have killed themselves with turnovers (minus-12). 10 players on injured...

...giving the Bills a big shot, but Pats QB Tom Brady will find a way **at** home. Philadelphia (7-1) at Dallas (3- **5**) 7 p.m. Monday (Ch. 7) * The Steelers proved that Philly's run defense can be had. Unfortunately for frustrated Dallas coach Bill Parcells, he doesn't have **the** running game to exploit it. The biggest dropoff for the Cowboys has been on defense

13/3,K/16 (Item 1 from file: 704)
DIALOG(R)File 704:(Portland)The Oregonian

11764004
TEST DRIVE KIA PACKS VALUE INTO MID-SIZE SORENTO
Oregonian (PO) - Saturday, September 21, 2002
By: BOB HILL - OREGONIAN DRIVETIME EDITOR
Edition: SUNRISE Section: ADVERTORIAL BEST LOCAL AUTOS/DRIVETIME Page: DT01
Word Count: 865

If you are buying an SUV in this **price range** and value-for-the-dollar is a major consideration, the Sorento should be on your...

... Kia expects to sell 50,000 Sorento models each year, which should help to further **boost sales** already running 16 percent ahead of last year. U.S. sales by Korean automakers Kia...

... remote seemed to have a very short operating range. Standard safety systems include five three- **point** seatbelts and front and full-length side-curtain airbags -- usually found only on more expensive...

13/3,K/17 (Item 1 from file: 713)
DIALOG(R)File 713:Atlanta J/Const.

11009062
DAILY BRIEFING
Atlanta Constitution (AC) - Tuesday, January 9, 2001
By: Staff reports and news services
Edition: Metro Section: Business Page: C2
Document Type: Brief
Word Count: 2,785

TEXT:
... biggest U.S. seller of cosmetics in discount and drug stores revamp its image and **boost sales** . The ads will run in 15- and 30-second television spots around the world, the...a 650-room hotel in Orlando this month and is building another in Pattaya, Thailand. **MANUFACTURING** : Eastman Kodak revamps customer-service system Rochester, N.Y. --- Eastman Kodak Co. said it will...

... women's line. The clothes will be in department stores around the third quarter and **range** in **price** from $28 for a T-shirt to $250 for a coat, spokeswoman Caren Bell said...

... 111 acres near I-85 in Suwanee. The company is in the design and discussion **phase** of determining exactly how the land will be used, Motorola Georgia Council spokeswoman Crystal Warwell...

... 110 million project is expected to have 1.3 million square feet of office and **manufacturing** space. RETAIL: Pantry to buy 11 stores from East Coast Oil > Sanford, N.C. --- Pantry...

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S4          2   S1 AND S2
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            ARLY OR PRE()(PURCHASE OR SALE? ?)
S6    8850282   PRICE? ? OR PRICING OR COST? ? OR COST(1W)MONEY OR RATE? ?
            OR BUY
S7     170183   S5(1N)S6
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S9         63   RD (unique items)
S10   2752560   ENCOURAGE OR PROMOTE OR STIMULATE OR MOTIVE OR BOOST OR RE-
            WARD OR AWARD OR INDUCEMENT
S11   7536665   PURCHASE? ? OR SALE? ? OR ADOPTER? ? OR BUYER? ? OR INVEST-
            OR? ? OR ORDER? ? OR ORDERING
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DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

03704702 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 11977791 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
For the industry worldwide, misery loves company. (semiconductor industry)(International)
Fletcher, Peter; Gosch, John; McLeod, Jonah; Rosenbaum, Andrew
Electronics, v65, n1, p45(2)
Jan, 1992
CODEN: ELECA ISSN: 0883-4989 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT
WORD COUNT: 1522 LINE COUNT: 00118

...ABSTRACT: in Europe and Japan and will probably see only moderate growth in 1992. In Japan, **prices** for **dynamic** random-access memories (DRAM) and weak demand for 4Mbit DRAMs are hurting the semiconductor industry...

...goods areas. European car manufacturers are also using electronic parts s more often than ever **in production** .'
... demand from Germany's 16.5 million new eastern-state consumers. That gave a big **boost** to IC **sales** , with some companies reporting gains of more than 30%. However, the easterners' appetite for consumer...

16/3,K/2 (Item 1 from file: 635)
DIALOG(R)File 635:Business Dateline(R)

1091110 00-61476
Rhodes puts parcels on the block
Ward, Ken
Las Vegas Business Press (Las Vegas, NV, US), V16 N29 p3
PUBL DATE: 990726
WORD COUNT: 480
DATELINE: Las Vegas, NV, US, Mountain

TEXT:

...the 1,300-acre master planned community in the southwest valley, is having a land **sale** .

Looking to **boost** production and **sales** at the 2-year-old community, Rhodes Homes is selling off parcels to other area...

...are currently being erected and that 60 other homes in the $140,000-$200,000 **price range** are **in production** .

But in an increasingly tight land market, sales of dirt, not homes, can generate the...

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03894716 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 13975840 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
1993 financial guide to equipment leasing. (includes leasing resource directory) (A Railway Age special section)
Kruglinski, Anthony D.; Rice, Michael Downey
Railway Age, v194, n6, p53(15)
June, 1993
ISSN: 0033-8826 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT
WORD COUNT: 8162 LINE COUNT: 00629

... great numbers. For instance, it is rarely financially efficient to spread several hundred thousand dollars **in production** line start-up costs over only 25 or 50 cars. So, small units of cars...what residual value I place on the equipment (simply put, the end-of-lease or **early buy** -out value of the equipment that hasn't been amortized in the payment stream), what...lease terms assumed.

What next? Propose an optimized all-in present value that includes an **early buy** -out option. (Lease optimization involves asking a computer program to solve for a payment structure...

4/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)

02665040 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 03817100 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Blue-collar boardrooms. (employee ownership)
Kuttner, Robert
The New Republic, v192, p18(6)
June 17, 1985
CODEN: NREPA ISSN: 0028-6583 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 5862 LINE COUNT: 00461

... But the meat-packing business continued to decline, and today Rath is bankrupt.

IN ANOTHER **early buy** -out, union workers at the South Bend Lathe company in Indiana used an ESOP to...managing the environment, taking care of customers, not doing production work. When you put people **in production** work, at some point they start thinking like production workers." A touch of Animal Farm...